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### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted further to the continuing prosecution application filed April 19, 2000. As there is currently no outstanding office action, no request for an extension of time is believed to be necessary.

Entry of the Amendment and consideration of the Remarks are respectfully requested.